

Starts on July 1

British Plan to Double Pay
Of Men in Post-War Services

By STUART UNDERHILL

LONDON, Dec. 20.—(CP)—The British Tommy and his comrade in the air force and navy yesterday learned they will get pay increases virtually double their pre-war earnings.

The government announced a new scale intended to make military life more attractive and to bring remuneration closer to civilian levels.

Under the new scale, effective July 1, 1946, basic grades of trained men in all three services will receive a minimum of 42 shillings (about \$9.45) weekly which, with allowances, is estimated to equal a civilian wage of 15 (about \$22.50) weekly.

(In the Canadian army typical weekly levels of pay are \$16.50 for a private, \$13.40 for a sergeant and \$42.25 for a major.)

BEFORE THE WAR a trained infantryman received 21 shillings weekly and now receives 31 shillings a week.

Even recruits will benefit. They will receive the new rate of 42 shillings a week.

CBC Chairman



A. David Dundas, editor of the Montreal Standard and former general manager of the War-time Information Board, who has been appointed full-time chairman of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

He will receive the new rate of 42 shillings a week.

(In the RCAF, weekly pay for leading aircrewmen ranges from \$10.50 to \$15.75, depending on trade qualifications; sergeant pilots get \$25.90; ground crew sergeants \$13.40 to \$20.45 depending on trade qualifications; pilot officers in air crew \$23.15 and pilot officers in ground crew \$20.15.)

(In the Royal Canadian Navy weekly pay for ordinary seamen is \$10.50; for petty officers \$16.80 and for lieutenants \$22.00.)

(In the United States Army, basic pay for infantrymen is \$60 a month plus \$10 a month for men serving overseas.)

IN THE NAVY special pay will continue for service in submarines or in the fleet air arm. The navy's basic weekly rate ranges up to \$21.15 shillings a week (about \$16.50) for a chief petty officer while an army warrant officer 1st class gets \$21 shillings and an airforce major pilot 16 shillings a week (about \$20.60).

Increases of allowance a day are given soldiers after five years with a further allowance daily after 10 years' service. These take the place of existing increases for long service and good conduct.

The present system of marriage or family allowances is being replaced by a flat rate for all married men, irrespective of number of children. Lower ranks will receive an allowance of 35 shillings weekly.

Men will qualify for the marriage allowance at 21, compared with 25 or 26 before the war.

Air Vice-Marshal Is Leaving Force

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—(CP)—Air Vice-Marshal Frank McGill of Montreal is retiring as air member for supply and organization and will be succeeded by Winnipeg-born Air Vice-Marshal C. R. Siemon of Ottawa, who has been chairman of a service committee on plans and organization for the post-war RCAF force. Air Minister Gibson announced last night.

A First Great War flier, Air Vice-Marshal McGill, enlisted on the first day of conflict.

AIR VICE-MARSHAL Siemon, member of the permanent air force, was senior staff officer when No. 6 bomber group, the first completely Canadian operational group, was formed overseas in 1942. When the war in Europe ended he was deputy air officer commanding-in-chief overseas.

He then was appointed air officer commanding the RCAF Pacific force and was organizing Canada's air effort in the Pacific when the Japanese surrendered.

U. S. Navy Officer Gets One Acquittal

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Capt. Charles B. McVay III was acquitted on a charge of inefficiency yesterday in the loss of the cruiser Indianapolis but no immediate report was filed on an additional charge of negligence.

Under United States general court-martial procedure, a finding of guilty on any count is not announced immediately. It is withheld pending review by the judge advocate general of the navy. Immediate announcements are restricted to allegations which the court finds "not proved."

THE FINAL VERDICT will be announced by the secretary of the navy, who may lessen or revoke any recommended punishment, but may not increase it.

The inefficiency charge, found not proved, was based on an allegation that Capt. McVay neglected to issue "timely" abandon ship orders, as a result of which many lives were lost. The other charge, negligence, grew out of his asserted failure to order a zigzag course through possibly dangerous waters.

Set Ceiling Price Barbecued Chicken

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—(CP)—The Prices Board put a price fixation last night on another Canadian-made barbecue chicken. The board said it had set at \$1.10 per pound the maximum prices at which any persons may sell any whole or whole carcasses of barbecued chickens. The order became effective Dec. 17 and provided that all sales at the ceiling prices would cover chickens without dressing or stuffing.

Tourist Courses For Ex-Servicemen

TORONTO, Dec. 20.—(CP)—Premier Drew announced last night the opening of a special course at the University of Toronto to train ex-servicemen in the operation of tourist resorts, camps, hotels and other establishments providing service for the travelling public.

Congress Passes

UNO Legislation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Congress yesterday completed action on legislation making the United States a full partner in the United Nations organization, and forwarded the bill to the White House.

The legislation was drafted by a Senate-House conference after the issue had been debated and agreed upon in both chambers, and was passed in its final form by both houses and representatives within half an hour.

Under it the Senate must confirm presidential appointments to UNO posts.

President Truman, asking speedy confirmation, nominated State Secretary Byrnes to head American delegates to the UNO session in London Jan. 10.

LONDON.—(CP)—Lord Beaverbrook has given \$25,000 (\$12,500) for rebuilding St. Columba's (Church of Scotland) London.

48 Faces Missing

Only Two Will Keep Post-War Rendezvous

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 20.—(AP)—In the autumn of 1941 50 RCAF officers en route to Britain, realizing they would lose contact with each other, made a pledge to meet the first New Year's Day after the war, in Detroit.

BUT ONLY TWO were able to keep the promise.

"During the war, I kept close watch on the casualty lists, and checked off about 80 per cent of our number either 'killed in action,' 'missing in action,' or 'prisoners of war,'" said Seth T. Parker of Richmond, one of the 50 who agreed to meet at the post-war meeting.

"It was hopeful for 30 of us to try to keep in touch by mail, so we agreed to meet on the first New Year's after the war at the Book-Cadillac hotel in Detroit. We picked Detroit because it was centrally lo-

cated for Americans and Canadians and because we had had so much fun there during our training."

PARKER, a flying officer in the RCAF and later a captain in a fighter group of the United States 8th Air Force, is certain only that one other of his classmates is alive—Paul Foy of Woodland, Pa.

"Besides the two of us there might be others. I am afraid that whenever they may be they may hesitate to come to Detroit for fear they'll be alone at our get-together. I want to see these others—if there are any more."

Exports Reveal Continental Drop

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—(CP)—Reflecting the continued reduction in export movement of goods classed as war materials, the value of Canada's merchandise export trade fell from \$312,400,000 in November last year to \$238,607,000 in November this year, a decrease of 23.6 per cent, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported yesterday.

War materials included in the total were valued at \$41,000,000 as compared with \$138,584,000 a year ago.

THE TOTAL VALUE of merchandise exports at least two of us will be there," Parker said.

"THE MANAGER of the Book-Cadillac hotel has offered to hold rooms for as many of us as he hears from."

The others who Parker believes may be alive include Vic Thagard and Pete Peterson, Winnipeg, and Ontario fliers and one from Quebec.

Unwed Principal To Become Mother

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Miss Inge Marie Nordstoft, 42, unmarried principal of one of the largest schools in Copenhagen, will be granted a leave to become a mother in April, the school board has decided.

The board will decide later whether to reassign Miss Nordstoft or leave her at her present job.

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Unwed Parents Issue Is Raised In Gt. Britain

LONDON, Dec. 20.—(CP)—Earl Winterston in the House of Commons last night raised the problem of the financial responsibility of Canadian servicemen for maintenance of children born to unmarried British mothers.

LORD WINTERSTON said in his constituency of Hereford, Shropshire, there were a number of cases in which affiliation orders against girls in Britain had been made against Canadian soldiers or airmen. He said there was no way in which the girls could recover this money when the men returned to Canada and were demobilized.

It was impossible for girls in such cases to institute proceedings in a Canadian court, Lord Winterston added. He suggested that the Canadian defence ministry and the corresponding departments in the other dominions might be asked to refuse to grant demobilization allowances to any servicemen having British affiliation orders against them unless such servicemen gave assurance they would continue to pay money to the girls they had wronged.

LORD WINTERSTON also proposed that the British high commissioner's office in Canada should be requested to institute proceedings on behalf of any British women who failed to obtain affiliation orders due from a Canadian serviceman in a Canadian court.

He demanded an assurance that the government would enter discussions with the Dominion governments on the matter and said he proposed to pursue the matter until justice was obtained.

SIR FRANK SOSKICE, solicitor general, said a distinction must be drawn between those cases in which an order already had been made in Britain and those in which an order had not been made.

A sense of justice prompted the view that where a person disputed paternity the girl should be brought forward so she could be cross-examined. It did not follow that because a girl alleged a child that he was the father of her child that he was the father.

IN THE CASE of a woman who wished to take proceedings against a man who was in Canada he said members who were magistrates would know such cases were being contested closely and often it was difficult for a magistrate to decide.

He said the difficulty was fully appreciated by Canadian military authorities and they had been willing to delay transfer of soldiers overseas so that proceedings could be taken while both parties were in Britain.

There was considerable feeling in Britain that something should be done to meet the situation, Mr. Parker continued.

"The Canadian authorities fully appreciate this and we are examining the matter with them. They are willing to do their best to see what action can be taken to deal with the question. More than that, the cabinet say at the present moment."

Available officials in Ottawa said that the question posed "quite a problem."

IT WAS A MATTER of a serviceman's "sense of honor" whether he continued to contribute to support of an illegitimate child in the United Kingdom after demobilization, unless other arrangements were made, it was decided to support the child, court arrangements would have to be initiated in Canada by the unmarried mother to obtain funds overseas.

When an affiliation order was entered an unmarried mother, no dependent's allowance was provided, but the man responsible was compelled to assume the cost of the child.

A British official, who visited Canada recently, had discussed the question.

Canada Gratuities Going to Americans

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The Hollywood veterans' service council announced last night that gratuities will be paid to 12,611 United States residents who served in the Canadian forces after the war. Most Americans eligible served with the RCAF between 1941 and 1945, and the council is now referring to the U.S. forces after this country entered the war, but few have applied for the gratuities. The council officers said, because they do not realize the funds are available.

Ocean No Barrier

Paratrooper's Wooing Startles Even Fiancee

NOTTINGHAM, Eng. Dec. 20.—(AP)—Pretty, dark-haired Rita Blackley, 21, whose father told Dominick Cascardi of New Haven, Conn., to come and see me after the war, last night heard her American paratrooper suitor is on his way.

"I AM SO EXCITED I don't know what I'm doing," she said last night.

"We didn't think the war would be over so soon," said her mother, Florence. "But she's as excited as sweet boy."

And the father, Ferdin, who refused consent to the marriage when Dominick was stationed in England, said he gave up and

Describes Hitler's Antics in Final Hours Official Named To World Court

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—(CP)—John E. Read, 37, legal adviser to the external affairs department, had been nominated as the Canadian representative on the international court of justice, Chief Justice Thibautius Rinfret announced yesterday.

The chief justice headed a Canadian group named last September to consider nominations for the court which succeeds the permanent court of international justice established in 1921. The new court will be the judicial organ of the United Nations organization and will consist of 15 judges to be elected by the security council and general assembly at the sessions to be held early next year.

MR. READ, who before taking his present post in 1939 was dean of the faculty of law at Dalhousie University, has a wide background in international legal matters. He holds the post of deputy under the secretary of state for external affairs with the rank of ambassador.

Downed U.S. Fliers Safe After Crash

TIENTSIN, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Branded but none the worse for their 36-day ordeal, six United States marine fliers returned safely yesterday after being in Chinese Communist hands since Nov. 30. The fliers, lost in bad weather between Peiping and Tientsin in a torpedo bomber Nov. 30, crashed near the village of Hsueh. Held in a stockade under guard, they escaped Nov. 5 in a heavy fog and walked about 40 miles before being recaptured by Communists. They were robbed of their watches, wedding rings and other personal effects.

THE NEXT DAY, a Communist officer obtained most of their stolen possessions for them but unidentified Chinese kept them awake nights by flailing them on the shins with antiquated hand grenades and rifle barrels.

Eventually the Communists started them on a march to a village on their liberation journey.

Youths Leading East Terrorism

TORONTO, Dec. 20.—(CP)—The Ontario sessions grand jury in a report to Judge James Parker yesterday said "young men in a spirit of bravado who have no respect for the rights of others, are the leaders in the wave of gangsterism which is terrorizing the city of Toronto." The report also said the province of Ontario.

The presentation urged more drastic measures on the part of Ontario officials, the police, the courts, and others engaged in the administration of justice.

IT ALSO ADVOCATED more rigid censoring of moving pictures, radio and other sources of entertainment and elimination of that pertaining to glorification of crime, immorality or sex eccentricities.

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Regent Is Most Popular Wheat

WINNIPEG, Dec. 20.—(CP)—Regent has become the most popular variety of wheat grown in Manitoba it was revealed at a three-day annual meeting of agronomists now being held in Winnipeg.

Z. K. Welch of the Dominion rural research laboratory and chairman of the cereal committee, reported the wheat acreage sown to Regent in 1945 amounted for nearly 41 per cent of the total wheat acreage in Manitoba.

THATCHER, which had occupied first place since rust-resistant wheat became prominent 10 years ago, came second with about 21 per cent of the acreage. The third place went behind the others, stood Regent with 14 per cent.

An eight-year test estimated Regent yielded nearly a bushel an acre more than Thatcher. Regent also ripened more than a day earlier and was superior in resistance to stem rust, leaf rust and blight.

Excusable Homicide When Son Slays Dad

EASTON, Pa. Dec. 20.—(AP)—District Attorney Stanley J. Fehr yesterday termed the shooting of Edward D. David "excusable homicide" and ordered withdrawal of murder charges lodged against the victim's 16-year-old son, Walter. Police previously announced the boy had admitted shooting his 47-year-old father last night. The boy claimed David returned from a drinking party and abused and

beat Mrs. David.

Adolf Hitler's final antics in his chancellery are described with gesture by Carl Hanna Reith, German aviator and one of the last persons to see him alive.

Used Poison Bullets

Atrocities of SS Bared at Trial

By ANN STRINGER

NUERNBERG, Dec. 20.—(CP)—Doctors of the SS, trying to perfect poison bullets for the German army, had used condemned prisoners with poison miasmas and three of them died a violent death, frothing at the mouth, the War Crimes Tribunal heard today.

A REPORT BY DR. KRUGOWSKY, chief SS hygienist, was introduced showing that he and two other doctors shot the five prisoners through the upper left thigh with 7.65 centimeter bullets in September 1944.

The bullets were filled with a chemical called arsenic trioxide in crystal form. They passed through the legs of two prisoners without effect.

The other three victims, the report said, suffered a disturbance of the motor nerves after 20 minutes and a flow of saliva became so strong they could not live by swallowing.

"THE FOAMY SALIVA flowed from the mouth, then a sensation of choking and vomiting started," the coldly analytical report said. "Death occurred 121 and 129 minutes after they were shot."

The evidence of SS atrocities and weird experiments was presented in support of the prosecution's argument that every branch of the SS was involved in the Nazi concentration camp program and the entire organization was guilty of war criminality.

THIS WAS THE LAST day of hearings in 1945. Today's adjournment marked the beginning of a holiday recess, with the trial to be resumed early in January.

Gets Extra Year For Breaking Jail

QUEBEC, Dec. 20.—(CP)—James B. Weston, also known as William Bishop of Calgary, yesterday was sentenced to 27 months in jail by Judge Laflamme for the assault of the peace, an charges of having escaped from the Quebec jail, leaving false cheques and leaving holes without paying his bills. Carleton, who said he was a St. Louis newspaperman, was arrested last week. While awaiting sentence he escaped from the jail and was sentenced to 18 months. He was sentenced to 32 months for escaping the jail, 12 months for leaving false cheques, and three months for leaving holes. The sentences will run concurrently.

Last Nazi Troops Quit in Denmark

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 20.—(AP)—A newspaper Aftensbladet said yesterday the last German stronghold in Denmark surrendered only yesterday—because British authorities forgot about it. The stronghold was held by a young German officer who would not give up his men to the Danes, and who swore he would not hold the white flag over his garrison until British forces arrived. British troops did not arrive, and the belated formal surrender took place.

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City Schools Start Yuletide Holiday Friday

Excellent will be high in the classrooms of Edmonton's schools on Friday. It will be the last day of school until Jan. 2, and the youngsters are all ready to go to take advantage of the holiday. Added to the excitement is the anticipation of the traditional classroom parties which many of the teachers arrange for their pupils slightly before the usual hour of closing for the Christmas holidays.

HOWEVER it is different for the administrative officials in the school board. For them there is no looking up of desks and casting aside their duties which have been more difficult this year than in any period for a long time.

Problems of school accommodation, maintenance and general supervision have worn an extra furrow in many an administrative brow. However, they are looking forward to a less strenuous time in the new year.

WITH BUILDING restrictions lifted and plans proceeding for the construction of a composite school near Victoria high school the question of accommodation will be particularly relieved when the building is added some time next year.

ALL, HOWEVER, are looking forward to Christmas and Boxing Day. Secretary Harry Turner said Thursday morning, "They're our kids and we'll miss the most of them."

He announced next meeting of the school board would be on Jan. 8. Medical services now are available in returned men for 24 hours a day, according to an announcement made on Thursday morning by J. W. Proctor, district administrator, department of veterans' affairs.

Dr. W. W. Fish, who recently accepted a position in the outpatient clinic at the Veterans' hospital, will be ready at any time, night or day, to give attention to returned men who require it. He can be reached by telephone R1841 and lives at 3005 122nd street.

It was emphasized that the treatment being given is for returned men only and does not include members of the family.

"The people of Canada have indicated that they want their returned men to get the best treatment possible," Dr. Fish said. "I am glad to give it."

Veterans are entitled to free medical attention for one year after they leave the service. There are an estimated 100,000 returned men in Edmonton who can demand treatment under this provision, it is said.

U. of A. Graduate Given Rail Post

A graduate in civil engineering from the University of Alberta in 1935, James Cherrington, formerly of Creston, B.C., has been named to the post of divisional engineer for the Canadian Pacific railway at Fortitude, B.C. It was reported Thursday from the CPRA Vancouver office.

Mr. Dyer, whom Mr. Cherrington succeeded, has been transferred to headquarters at Montreal where he will take over duties as engineer of track. Prior to joining the CPRA in 1941, Mr. Dyer was with the B.C. department of public works as resident engineer at Nelson.

From the University of British Columbia Mr. Cherrington in 1932 was a student in the University of Alberta from which he was graduated.

Offer More Rooms For War Veterans

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Students will return Jan. 3 for the remainder of the term ending April 4.

Father Misses \$20,000; Son Has \$19,112 and Two Misses



Malcolm McLeod, 18, removed from a Florida-bound train, had \$19,112.

In addition, Kathleen Conradi, left, and Betty Ann Mackey, both of Detroit, were with him. In Detroit, Malcolm's father told police he missed \$20,000.

To Prevent Future Wars

Separation of Ruhr, Rhine and From Germany Proposed in U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—An expiring United States government war agency today proposed permanent separation of the Ruhr and Rhineland from Germany to prevent reconstruction of a war industry "capable of once again unbalancing the security of Europe."

THE "German Economic Administration," officially dissolved by President Truman Sept. 27, put forth the suggestion as part of a detailed program for German economic and political disarmament.

H. H. Fowler, director of FEAC's enemy branch, made the program public in an appearance before a senate military affairs subcommittee.

FEAC recommended establishment of an international trusteeship to administer the separate areas—proposals similar to that which France has vigorously advocated to persuade the United States, Britain and Russia to adopt in recent months.

THE FEAC report was made public just eight days after the agency's statement charging a "policy statement charging a course of overtaking, assisted Wednesday."

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Kiwanians Hold Party For Kids

Santa Claus paid a visit to the children of the Kiwanis Hotel on Wednesday night. Forty-three children were in attendance besides parents, friends and members of the Kiwanis.

The children were treated to candy, cake, oranges and numerous other goodies. Each child also received a gift from Santa Claus.

The children also took part in the program of entertainment by singing, dancing, reciting poems and groups of 20 harmonizing on some well-known pieces.

Two films were shown and an added attraction, Jack Trouton played the piano. Mrs. Con. House mother at the house, Mrs. M. J. Burman, secretary.

Members of the business section of the Edmonton YCA are competing in a basketball tournament during the afternoon. The game was announced today by Arthur Warburton, physical director, Edmonton YCA. Play will commence at 7 p.m.

Also Kidnapped Horthy

Nazi General Gives Details Of Rescue of Duce in 1944

NIJENBURG, Dec. 20.—(AP)—S.S. Col. Otto Skorzeny today revealed the details of his successful rescue of Benito Mussolini Sept. 12, 1944 from the mountain top hotel in the Apennines where he was being held prisoner.

SKORZENY SAID the rescue operation was planned by himself and Col. G. Kurt Student, formerly also carried out the kidnapping of Admiral Nicholas Horthy and was reported to have been behind the famous kidnapping of two British agents at Velle, Holland.

In the early days of the war and to have plotted the assassination of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Skorzeny was ordered to attempt the famous rescue operation on July 25. He was given 50 men to do the job. At that time Mussolini was held at a villa on the island of St. Maddalena but before the attempt could be made he was transferred to the sports hotel on Mt. Gran Sasso.

Skorzeny made a reconnaissance flight over the mountain and decided a paratroop operation was not feasible and that gliders were too risky.

THE EFFORT was finally made by three gliders which made crash landings a few yards from the hotel.

"The guards were overcome by surprise," Skorzeny said, "and we reached Mussolini's room within three to four minutes after landing."

He said a few shots were exchanged with the Italian guard but the Italians put up little resistance.

Though damaged in landing the gliders were able to take off and flew Mussolini to Pratrica Di Sape where the party transferred to transport planes and flew on to Vienna.

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Christmas Marked By Library Board

Memories of Christmas spent years ago by attending the annual party in the "little red school house" were recounted by Mrs. A. Bisset, K.C. chairman of the Library Board, for members of the Public Library staff who attended the annual banquet in the Macdonald hotel Wednesday evening.

MUSIC TO FIT in with Mrs. Bisset's story was supplied by Norma Lawler, piano, and Lina Couette, violin. Also in cooperation with the tale, W. C. Goudy, head librarian, gave an interpretation of a story-verse reading at the Christmas concert in the little red school house.

A quiz contest and capel singing were also features of the evening's entertainment.

MAYOR AINLEY was present with Mrs. Ainsley. The mayor gave a brief address, in which he thanked the library staff for the invitation, and complimented it on the fine concert and the quiz contest.

GUESTS INTRODUCED to the assembly by the chairman, Mr. Bisset, were: Mrs. E. Goudy, Provincial Library; Miss Grace Hope, Law Library; Mrs. F. McLeod, Extension Library; Miss Marjorie Sherlock, University Library.

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U. S. Envoy in China

Reds Ask End to Chinese War as Marshall Arrives

By FRED HAMPSON

ST. PAUL, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Gen. George C. Marshall arrived here on his mission to end internal strife in China, and as he stepped from his plane, Chinese Communists asked the Chinese government to agree to an immediate, unconditional cessation of hostilities, for the U.S. Communist peace policy delegate, told the Associated Press.

GEN. MARSHALL is expected to meet President Chiang Kai-shek at Nanjing tomorrow to discuss the situation. The meeting will be their first since the Cairo Big Four conference.

Associated Press Correspondent Spencer Mosier, at Chungking, reported the Communist move toward a ceasefire agreement. And said the U.S. Communist peace policy delegate, told the Associated Press.

The special United States envoy stepped from a transport plane from Manila at Shanghai and proceeded to a Shanghai hotel for the night.

IN CHUNGKING yesterday, central government and Communist leaders alike were reported ready to "go the limit" in making peace.

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Plan Yule Dinner For Homeless Vets

Approximately 100 homeless veterans now resident in Edmonton are expected to attend the annual Yuletide dinner, sponsored by the "Mile" Michaels in the Rural George hotel banquet room next Monday.

For many years now "Mile" Michaels has been the one who fought the Empire's battles and who are without homes on Christmas Day.

In addition to the usual turkey dinner will be smokes and other "entertainment" for all the troops.

The dinner starts at 12 o'clock Monday.

President Harold Tanner of Edmonton Branch No. 10 of the Canadian Legion, W. J. "Bill" Williams, M.L.A., and Harper Prowse, M.L.A., will be present.

"Mile's" annual dinner has always been free of "long-winded" speeches, it being a straight case of making Christmas as merry as possible for the grand old boys who have fought the Empire's battles and who are without homes on Christmas Day.

Invitations for the dinner can be obtained at the Canadian Legion offices in the Memorial Hall.

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The ROAD AHEAD

By Capt. HARPER PROWSE, M.L.A.

It is generally agreed by everyone who has had reason to consider the question that the amount of assistance being offered, at the present time, to veterans who wish to buy or establish a business for themselves is not adequate. At this point the question which naturally suggests itself, is what kind of help might be given which would be adequate?

IN THE FIRST PLACE, it has been suggested in a brief presented to the parliamentary committee on veterans' affairs, that the Industrial Development Bank Act could be brought into force in order to make it possible for veterans to get the financial assistance they require. At the present time the application of this act is as narrow as a veteran is concerned.

Under this suggestion veterans would be permitted to get loans either for the purchase of going businesses or to provide the necessary capital for starting a new business. At least appearing to have some chance of becoming successful. The making of such loans would, of course, have to be contingent on the contemplated enterprise being a profitable one. And would require individual discretion in the making of such loans. And would require a wide open to-and-fro discussion.

UNDER THE GOVERNMENT'S "Bill of Rights" the American veterans are permitted to borrow up to \$4,000 for the purpose of starting themselves in business. This is borrowed from the usual lending institutions and the government will guarantee half of the loan. Interest must be at 4 per cent. This seems like a good proposition but I have been informed that in fact it is not. The making of such loans is being put off because the lending institutions aren't making the loans.

Other suggestions which have been offered in a proposition which was put on the same basis as the assistance given to farmers under the Veterans Land Act. This would mean that the veteran wishing to start his own business could borrow up to \$4,000, of which one-third would be written off, as is under the V.L.A. and the remainder repaid by equal payments spread over 25 or 30 years with interest at 3 per cent. This is a proposition which would be most acceptable as far as the veterans are concerned.

ANOTHER SUGGESTION which has been put forward is that the benefit while awaiting return of pay should be paid to veterans who have established their own business. Continued on Page Twenty

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SC Christmas Party Is Held For Children

Social Credit Club on Jasper Avenue

was packed to capacity Wednesday night for the annual Christmas party for children, staged by the Social Credit Association, Social Credit Club.

The Rev. F. W. Williams, chairman of the association, presided, and a letter of greeting from Premier Ernest Manning was read.

S. B. James, M.L.A., spoke briefly on the Christmas festival and extended additional greetings in the name of the Social Credit Association.

Santa Claus himself came in a head-dress, distributing to the youngsters gifts from the "North Pole."

REFRESHMENTS were served following a fine concert program. The Junior Musical Band, Sunday school and the program was given by the Social Credit Club.

The Christmas anthem, "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel," was sung by the Social Credit Club.

OTHER MEMBERS were an enthusiastic "What Christmas means to you" and the chorus "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel."

The light of the "palm of life" was lit by the Social Credit Club.

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Plan New Series Of Adult Classes

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Plan Concert

The intermediate section of the Westminster School will present a Christmas concert in the Westminster school auditorium on Thursday, at 8:00 p.m. All proceeds will be forwarded to the Westminster School and School Association.

Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDER

There seems to be a season of insomnia for the babies. So many of the parents tell of babies who go to sleep at the proper time but wake up in the middle of the night and cry. They keep the family awake for hours. It is a terrible thing to go to sleep at the proper time and wake up in the middle of the night and cry. They keep the family awake for hours. It is a terrible thing to go to sleep at the proper time and wake up in the middle of the night and cry.

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Why Grow Old?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

THE FOLLOWING letter from a reader describes the problem of thousands of young women. "You say how impossible it might be to have a young girl of 21 who is so uninteresting, boring to everyone. She has her heart in such a way that she makes a remark like 'What a nice day' or 'I'm glad you were invited' and you are so bored by her thoughts. You are so bored by her thoughts. You are so bored by her thoughts.

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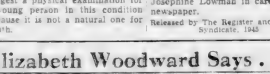
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By DOROTHY DIX SAYS

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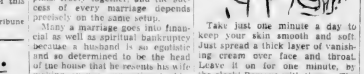
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PRINCIPALS IN DECEMBER WEDDING



Mr. and Mrs. Paul-Emile Hardy, the former Miss Antoinette Genereux, who were married at St. Paul church recently. Mrs. Hardy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Genereux, of Edmonton, and Mr. Hardy is the second son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Hardy of St. Paul. They will live in St. Paul.

Grace McDonald To Tell Stories

Miss Grace McDonald will tell the stories "Journey of the Way Red," "The Christmas Carol," and the weekly story hours of the Edmonton Public Library held in the main branch on Saturday at 10:30 a.m. and at the Strathcona branch on Friday at 4:30 p.m.

Calendar

Regular pre-natal class conducted by the Victoria Order of Nurses to be held in the YVCA classroom, Friday at 2:30 p.m.

ROCHESTER, Eng.—(CP)—Basil Scarce, keeper of East Gate House, near here, home of Dickensian relics, who was known to thousands of tourists, is dead.

CGIT to Hold Vesper Service

Canadian Girls in Training Christmas Vesper service will be held in First Baptist church, Dec. 20 at 4 p.m. CGIT groups of city churches will take part.

Those in charge of the service will be the Misses Mary Miller and Betty Johnston. The choir will include the CGIT Girls Council and Leader Grade. Miss May Salomon will be organist and Miss Cora Salomon, pianist.

Speaker will be Miss Margaret Mann, assistant secretary of the Religious Education Council of Alberta.

THE VESPER service provides an opportunity for girls to share in a worship experience. It also makes possible the service of a National Girls' Work secretary. Offerings taken at this time are the only source of support for the National Girls' Work Board, which came into existence during the First Great World War, and has through its program, personnel and published materials, in camps and conferences, carried on comprehensive work in Christian education in Canada.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Campbell will go to Calgary at the weekend to spend the holiday season visiting Mrs. Campbell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Varley and Mr. Campbell's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. McKillop.

Arriving in Calgary Friday from Edmonton where she is attending the University of Alberta, Miss L. Hill will spend the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hill, who live in St. Paul. She will be at their guests during the festive season their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill, and their daughter, Miss Jean Hill, who go to Calgary at the weekend.

Mr. W. E. Moore left Edmonton recently for Los Angeles to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Sibbet.

Edmonton Brewery Company will hold a staff dinner in the Macdonald hotel Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

Capt. and Mrs. Gordon Blott returned Monday from Vancouver where they were visiting the parents of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blott.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Herbert returned Sunday from a honeymoon in Vancouver, to take up residence in Edmonton.

MISS JEAN MOORE, YVCA Girls' Work secretary in Hamilton, Ont., arrived in Edmonton on Thursday to spend a two-week holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore. Miss Moore has been secretary with the "Y" for one year in Brandon, Man., and in Hamilton for three years. Miss Hazel Moore, another daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore, returned to Canada two weeks ago and will arrive in Edmonton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Fox of Calgary are visiting in Edmonton, guests of the Corns hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Kinney are guests at the Corona hotel, while visiting in Edmonton.

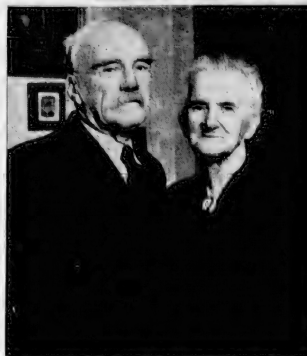
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Tim Housley will go to Calgary on Saturday to spend the Christmas season with his mother, Mrs. Doris Housley, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis F. Housley. Mr. Housley is a student at the University of Alberta.

Mrs. T. R. Davies and her two sons have gone to Ponoka to spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Agnes Niven MacKenzie, who is attending the University of Alberta, will go to Calgary at the weekend to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. MacKenzie.

MARRIED 65 YEARS



Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Hutton, who will mark the 65th anniversary of their wedding on Friday, Dec. 21, when their sons and daughters move to their home in Mannville, taking with them a wedding cake for the table for an informal party.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hutton were married in Carmichael, Scotland, in 1880 by the late Rev. A. R. Gibb and their daughter, Miss Jean Hill, who go to Calgary at the weekend.

Mr. Hutton first came to Canada in 1870 as a boy 19 years old and remained for a period of five years and then returned to Scotland. He came to Canada again in 1880, when he purchased land and settled in the Clover Bar district.

IN THE NEXT year, Mrs. Hutton and the rest of the family joined him, and they remained there until their retirement in 1920, when they moved to Edmonton. Since September they have made their home in Mannville.

Both are still active and enjoy fairly good health. Mr. Hutton is 87 years old and Mrs. Hutton is 83. They had 12 children, eight of whom are alive, as well as 33 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Members of the family who will be present include Mrs. H. T. Howard, Maurice, Mrs. E. Keith, Clover Bar; Mrs. A. W. Housley, Vancouver; Mrs. W. Schreier, Edmonton; Mrs. J. W. Cheeky, Edmonton; John Hutton, Calgary; George Hutton, Edmonton; and David Hutton, Clover Bar. Alex of Edmonton died three years ago and Fred was an invalid during the First Great War. Two children died in infancy.

Five grandsons and one non-lawson live in the present day.

City Women Striving For Christmas Dinner Fixings

BY HILDA EBBERS

Edmonton women are striving heavily for Christmas dinner fixings.

If you notice a number of hurried-looking women hurrying along the streets these days, with a distraught look on their faces, they may be just housewives, otherwise quite normal, who are pursuing the "making for their Christmas dinner table."

Housework is left undone and meals are undated, as the housekeeper makes her daily morning round of all the stores in the city, with hopeful eyes and grasping hands.

THIS YEAR the Christmas dinner may start with any number of good course available in the markets, or with tomato or grape juice, the just with grapefruit juice, orange juice or apple juice, which are off the market this year.

There are varieties of root vegetables, and plenty of the fresh frozen variety, but the Hubbard squashes that graced many a festive board are not to be found this year.

A limited supply of mince meat is available for the Christmas shopper but it will be of little interest unless there is a distribution of shortbread to make the hot and succulent mince pie. There are most of the mince for the Christmas pudding on the shelves, although you have to scramble for the raisins and the currants.

ENGLISH walnuts (in the shell) have made a reappearance, having been scarce since the war. Almonds and pecans are in considerable quantities, and dates, which made a shy appearance in summer, are not available now.

"These may be main staples for Christmas," a man store operator pessimistically said recently, "but the candy situation is definitely 'low'." One store owner said just yesterday his candy, which he had hoarded, reached him some time after the Christmas season was happily a memory.

Lois Owen Marks Vows

In a doubting ceremony at Wesley United church, Wednesday, at 2 p.m., Miss Lois Helen Owen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Owen of Edmonton, became the bride of John Lindsay Evans, formerly of the R.C.N.V.R., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Evans, also of Edmonton. The Rev. James H. Cox officiated.

ENTERING the church on the arm of her father, the bride wore a powder-blue tulle frock trimmed with black accents, a corsage of white periwinkles and pink roses complemented her ensemble and her only jewelry was a pearl necklace.

The Misses Flora and Mae Owen were the bridesmaids. The former, sister of the bride, wore a rose tulle with black accents and a corsage of carnations and chrysanthemums. Miss Mae Owen, cousin of the bride, wore a pale green frock with contrasting black accessories and a corsage of carnations and chrysanthemums.

WALLACE B. PUTMAN, son-in-law and ushering the couple to their seats, was George C. Housley. After the ceremony a reception of guests was held at the Shambles Gardens.

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Nurses Home From Overseas

"It's grand to be home," were the first words of Lt. (CNS) H. L. Woodsworth, R.C.N.M.C., when she arrived in Edmonton early Thursday morning to be greeted by her mother, Mrs. R. B. Woodsworth, 11618 100 Avenue. These were the same words which Mrs. Woodsworth, R.C.N.M.C., who arrived on the same train and was greeted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Housley, McDonald apartments.

LT. WOODSWORTH was a graduate of the Royal Canadian Hospital and was on the staff of the University Hospital, Edmonton, and was with No. 3 Canadian General Hospital in England, the unit which brought her home.

She has 30 days' leave and has in fact, after a short stay in the city, to enjoy a real Canadian Christmas at home.

LT. BURKE arrived in Edmonton on Aug. 25, 1945, and is a graduate of the University Hospital, and immediately prior to enlisting was taking postgraduate work in a school of nursing in Toronto. After her enlistment she worked in the Edmonton area military hospital in the Dominion immigration belt and left for overseas in April, 1944. She spent eight months in the hospital before going on to the continent in December.

"The Columbus at that time were terrifying," she said, "and when we heard that we just hoped they would keep right on going." She expressed a great admiration for the British nurses who she described as being "just grand" with amazing stamina, in time of stress.

BURKE spent a total of four and a half months in casualty clearing stations in Holland and Germany. Most of the patients she cared for were Allied men, though a small percentage were German. Since they were the first hospital unit to go into Germany when the Allied armies broke through they were sometimes only five miles from the battle front. The amount of battle was continually in their ears.

"We were so busy looking after the wounded men, we never noticed the noise at all."

LT. BURKE spent V.E. day in Turnhout, Belgium, and said the people celebrated jubilantly, with bands playing, dancing and singing in the streets. She also spent last Christmas in the same Belgian town and is looking forward to spending a Christmas at home with her family.

U.S. Concerned Over Indonesia

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The United States yesterday expressed "growing concern" over the Netherlands East Indies situation and voiced hope "full participation" will remove attempts to reach agreement.

The first official state department policy statement on the matter placed no blame for the Indonesian revolt on any of the parties involved in the revolting Indonesian nationalist movement. The Dutch colonial authorities, or the British occupying forces.

It said, however, that "extremist or irresponsible action or failure to prevent or consider specific Indonesian actions can only lead to a distant and uncertain future."

"The United States recognized, the statement said, the 'primary responsibility for arriving at a settlement' rests with Netherlands and Indonesian leaders, but added:

"The United States cannot fail, however, to be deeply interested in the solution which may be achieved of problems that are of vital importance to the entire world."

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SEAHAM, Eng.—(CP)—Emman, new researches showing that oil can be used in the industry can be carried on by British companies that control the oil.



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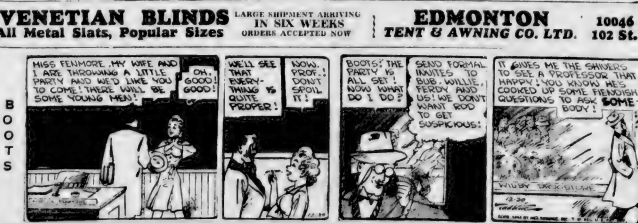
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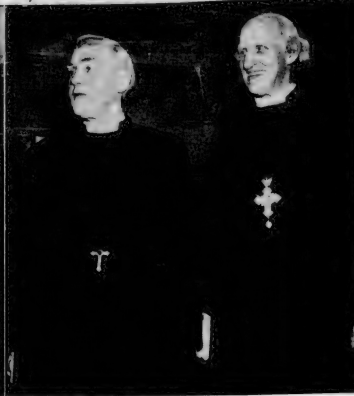
Dean of Canterbury Addresses 7,000 at Canadian-Soviet Friendship Rally



Platform guests at Canadian-Soviet Friendship rally in Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, Ont., chat with the principal speaker, Dr. Hewlett Johnson, Dean of Canterbury. They include: Capt. O. Omajar, Norwegian consulate staff; Lieut.-Col. T. H. Stewart, M.D.; Lieut.-Com. R. S. S. Rooney, HMCS York, and Mayor Robert H. Saunders.

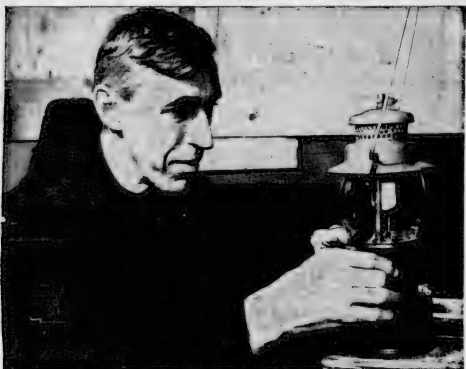


Archbishop Alexi of Yaroslavl and Rostov and Rev. G. Stanley Russell, minister of Deer Park United church, Toronto, shown at reception for Dean of Canterbury given by Lieut.-Gov. A. Matthews.



Primate of the Anglican Church in Canada, Archbishop Derwyn T. Owen is shown with the Dean of Canterbury during the rally. More than 7,000 persons heard the Dean speak.

Franciscan Priest Heads Mission Party on 7,000-Mile Ocean Journey to Peru



Pilgrimage to Peru with a 50-foot, Canadian-built, plywood, steel-reinforced vessel leaving Montreal this week will be headed by Father Jean Baptiste Langlois. The vessel will give Franciscan missionaries a floating chapel for their services. Aboard her will be an intrepid group of four—two religious, two laymen—headed by Father Langlois. With his companions he will hack his way through the steaming tropical forest, building missions and spreading the faith of his church as he goes.

Eye-Catching Group



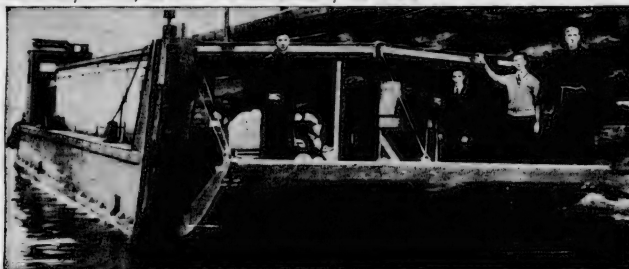
Lady Burghley, wife of Lord Burghley, former governor of Bermuda, and her three daughters, left to right, Hon. Angela Cecil, Hon. Gullin Cecil and Hon. Davida Cecil, photographed at Central Station last night between trains. They are en route to Halifax, there to board the Queen Elizabeth. They are rejoining Lord Burghley at their home in Britain.

Strategy Board of GM Workers Holds Conference



Strategy board of the General Motors' workers is shown in conference in Detroit. Nation-wide strike of 350,000 employees has been ordered by the UAW, CIO. It will virtually paralyze the automotive industry. Left to right are: N. Matthews, W. F. Reuther, R. J. Thomas and George Adda.

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For the 7,000-mile journey, the cargo lighter, St. Jean Baptiste, will travel to New York on its own power where it will be hoisted aboard a freighter for Belém, Brazil. The vessel is packed with four army trucks, tractor and generator. Most of the equipment, including the lighter, was purchased from War Assets Corp.



This map shows the route to be taken by the missionary group. One member of the party is taking his wife and Father Jean Baptiste will be accompanied by his sister.

Gets Divorce



Mrs. Gellina Hilton, wife of James Hilton, creator of the idyllic retreat of 'Shangri-La' in his novel 'Lost Horizon', has secured a 'Las Vegas' divorce because for two years the author has indulged in 'small dips and pin pricks' which made her life very unhappy.

A Soaking in Japan



A three-day rain added nothing to the pleasures of GI's or the 391st Infantry, 98th Division, encamped at Taisho Airfield, Osaka. A pair of them, above, stand ankle-deep in water and mud beside their pup-tent as they wring out a sodden blanket.

Daddy Gets the Big News



Pasquale Marmo, the Brooklyn, N.Y., discharged veteran who's dazedly holding his head in picture above, shares a record with Beth El Hospital. The two boys and a girl born to his wife, Phyllis, are the hospital's first set of triplets. They're his first, too.

Dean of Canterbury and Nephew Re-United



For a decade Dr. Hewlett Johnson, Dean of Canterbury, hadn't seen his nephew, Rev. Edward H. Johnson, Grenadier Guards, until they were reunited in Toronto on Wednesday. Here they chat about family affairs at the dean's hotel. The Dean of Canterbury spoke at a Soviet-Canadian Friendship rally in Maple Leaf Gardens.

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To Nationalize
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In Gt. Britain

LONDON, Dec. 26.—(Reuters)—Plans for nationalization of British civil aviation and for an international agreement to eliminate all forms of subsidy were introduced in government white paper today.

THE NATIONALIZATION scheme was announced recently in parliament by Labor Government spokesmen. It includes the setting up of three statutory corporations to handle traffic. Fields of operations for the corporations would include: traffic between Britain, the Empire and the United States; the Far East; British internal lines and lines to Europe; and lines between Britain and South Africa.

Major policy decisions would be left to the military of civil aviation under the scheme but each company would have a separate board, appointed by the minister, including experts and members with experience of air transport. The white paper said the government does not plan to impose "unnecessary limitations on freedom of management."

THE GOVERNMENT will require the corporations to use British planes, the paper added.

Private operators would be free to engage in charter and taxi operations but they would be required to satisfy the safety regulations and to maintain satisfactory conditions of employment.

COMPENSATION would be paid for physical assets taken over from airlines operating Nov. 1, 1945, was added, but there would be no compensation for "goodwill."

Airports taken over from municipalities and private owners would also be subject to compensation on an "equitable" basis.

Admirals Knighted
For War Services

LONDON, Dec. 26.—(Reuters)—Knighthoods for six British admirals, and the retirement of a top figure in the Royal Air Force were announced in the London Gazette Tuesday night.

Admiral knighted were: Vice-Admiral W. G. Tennant, who handled the organizing of preparing, towing and placing the Mulberry harbors and blockships for the Normandy invasion.

Rear Admiral T. H. Troubridge, fifth sea lord of the Admiralty responsible for co-ordination of naval war policy.

Rear Admiral Cecil H. J. Harcourt, commander-in-chief at Hong Kong.

Admiral Sir Algeon T. Willis, second commissioner of the admiralty and chief of naval personnel.

Vice Admiral Sir Edward N. Syrett, commander-in-chief of the home fleet.

The first three named received the Order of Knight Commander of the Bath and the others Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire.

Retiring Air Marshal Sir Richard E. C. Paine, recently air officer commander-in-chief in India.

THEY, TOO, ANOTHER of the difficulties which faces the government, is that peculiar trait in human nature which causes every person to compare the good things he gets with the good things his neighbors get.

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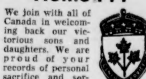
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—Gift Bazaar, Second Floor

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At One-Third Off!

Regular 35c to \$2.50, reduced to 23c to \$1.65 each—fine velum and kid paper in pretty boxes. A great opportunity for the gift shopper! FRIDAY FEATURE, BOX.

23c to \$1.65

—Stationery, Main Floor

Christmas Cards

At One-Third Off!

Regular 50c to \$1.50, reduced to 33c to \$1.00 box—Broken assortment of humorous and sentimental cards, matching envelopes. FRIDAY FEATURE, BOX.

33c to \$1.00

—Stationery, Main Floor

Christmas Crackers

At One-Third Off!

Regular 75c, reduced to 50c—the more Christmas crackers the better and at this low price, you can afford several boxes! Twelve in box.

FRIDAY FEATURE... BOX. **49c**

—Stationery, Main Floor

T. EATON & CO.

—Toronto, Lower Floor

\$5.98

—Toyland, Lower Floor

TOYLAND

Hardwood rocking chairs with wide back, solid seat, well leaved legs and rockers. EACH.

\$5.98

—Toyland, Lower Floor

Kiddies' Rocking Chairs

A Friday Feature In

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Hardwood rocking chairs with wide back, solid seat, well leaved legs and rockers. EACH.

\$5.